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In re Application of:

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For: IMAGE DISPLAY CONTROL  
SYSTEM AND IMAGE  
DISPLAY SYSTEM CONTROL  
METHOD

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

FOREIGN PATENTS:

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
0 807 880	EPO	November 19, 1997
0 778 516	EPO	June 11, 1997
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PUBLICATIONS:

Proposed SMPTE Standard for Television-24-Bit Digital Audio Format for HDTV Bit-Serial Interface, SMPTE Journal (August 1996; pages 1 to 15).

VESA Plug and Display Standard, Pin definitions, P&D-D Microribbon, (pages 92 to 109; 1997).

Plug and Display Standard, Video Electronics Standards Association (VESA) (pages 1 to 91; June 11, 1997).

Extended Display Identification Data Programming of Microprocessor-Based Display Data Channel Design (IBM Technical Disclosure Bulletin), Vol. 38, No. 03 (March 1995; pages 169 to 171).

REMARKS

The documents identified herein were cited in official communications from the European Patent Office in connection with commonly-assigned, related European patent applications. Copies of two Search Reports indicating how those references are deemed material to the respective European patent applications also are enclosed as English language statements of relevance for the Examiner's consideration.

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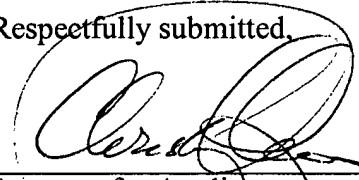
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CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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